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DETAILED ACTION

Notice to Applicant

This communication is in response to the continued examination request with amendments received on 01/07/2009. Claims 1-5, 7, 9-10, 12-13, 16-18, 21 are allowed.

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Brett A. Valiquet on 3/24/2009.

During the interview conducted on 3/24/2009 between the Examiner and the attorney on the record, Mr. Valiquet, the application has been amended as follow:

Please amend claim 1 as follows:

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At line 8 please delete: "one of the" and please amend the claim as follows: "a predetermined number of data interfaces each operatively coupled to the data processor and each data interface is configured to receive data from ~~one of the a~~ respective medical examination imaging instruments in real time,...".

Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 1-5, 7, 9-10, 12-13, 16-18 and 21 are allowed. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: The primary reason for allowance of